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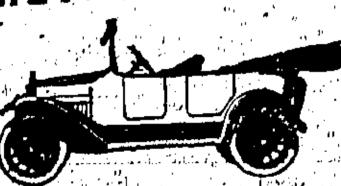
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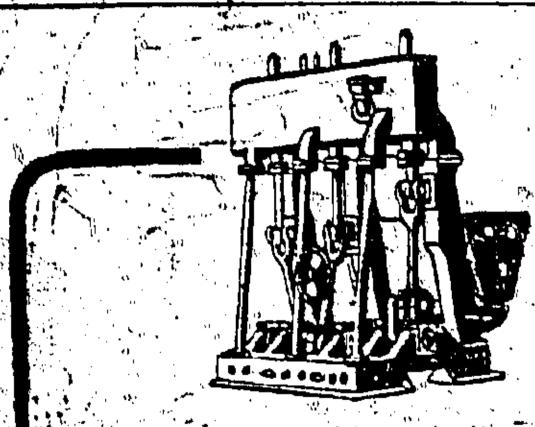
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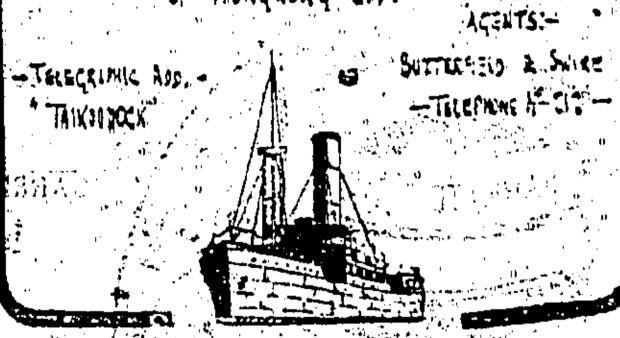
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WEEK OF CONTINUOUS .. SUCCESS.

GLORIOUS FINALE BY BRITISH.

THE BATTLE IN FRANCE.

London, Aug. 25. A week of continuous Allied success closed gloriously yesterday when the British stormed no fewer than fifteen important strongholds,

A semi-official Paris statement Clemenceau, the French Premier, emphasises that the whole interest venterday was centred on the British baton of his office, and General front where there were gains of ground of great importance from the tactical viewpoint, especially in the direction of Bapaume, which is now practically" at the mercy of the British owing to their cupture of the force, buttle the conflict of two Ancre valley ruilway.

the Americans west of Fismes. The depression of the vanquished." ment develops it is likely to have Marne, Aisne, Avre, Somme and the serious consequences for the Ger- Oise. mans whom Generals Mangin and To General Petain; on whom the Humbert are outdanking. When Government conferred the Medaille General Ludendorff deems it pru- Militaire, the highest honour a dent retire in this region his decision French General can win, the Presito withdraw to the 1917 line may dent said: "You, who love soldiers be hastened by the Americans. and are beloved by them, will

EXPERT VIEWS IN PARIS. EXPECTED GERMAN STAND A BAPAUME.

LONDON, Aug. 24.

AMERICAN MAN-POWER BILL.

PASSED BY HOUSE" OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Wasmington, Aug. 25. The Man-Power Bill has pussed the House of Representatives as riginally drawn by the War Department, with only two negative votes; both by Socialists.

Disgussing the Man-Power Bill the Senate, Mr. McCumber declared few days trains from Paris to Calais that " nothing short of planting the flug in Berlin is going to win the war as it ought to be worr. Not a rence or a pact should be signed until Chermany has surrendered conditionally and delivered up the morderers of Edith Cavelland other

JAPANESE-AMERICAN ARBITRA. TION TREATY.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25. Mr. Lansing and Count Ishii nave signed the extension of the Jupanese.

another five years.

American Arbitration Treaty for

RECEIVES BATON OF OFFICE

EULOGISES VALOUR OF HIS TROOPS.

REUTER-HAVAS SERVICE

Paris, Aug. 24. Yestersky at French Headquarters M. Poincare, Pr. sident of the French Republic, accompanied by M. presented Marshal Foch with the Petain with the Medaille Militaire. . In a short speech after presentation, M. Poincare quoted one of the Marshal's own favourite sayings:

"War is a department of moral

wills, victory the moral superiority

A significant success is that of of the victor, and defeat the month Americans, south of Vesle have been | M. Poincaré referred to the generlately assigned the task of hammer- ous adhesion of the Allied Governing the German communication with ments which gave Marshal Foch the the north Aisne: They have been Chief Command of the Allied Armies. steadily reinforced, all the time, and to the successive victories rehowever, and if their present move- sulting from that station on the

wear with just pride this insignia of

A few minutes before President Poincaré presented Marshal Fech with the baton of his office, the Marshal received in his office at the Experts in Paris recognise that Headquarters of the Allied Armice British have the hardest task in representatives of the French, the present battle. The enemy will British and American Press. He evidently dec'de to stand at all made, the following stutement is costs against a further advance of You yourselves know, gentlement, General Byng's Army, as the loss that the operations, begun on July of Bapaume would, at present, be 18th, are going on well. We are equivalent to disaster to the Ger- going to follow them up. As to our mains whose flank between Arras and splendid troops, you can never say Albert would be thereby uncovered, enough and never praise them too The contrast between the British highly for their valour and their position in this region now and in heroism. Though they fought withthe Spring of 1917 is remarkable, out truce and though they were not General Sir Julian Byng has secured relieved, one has only to ask from more in three days than was gained them all what one wishes and then after six months of hard fight- they will carry it out superbly? ing. General Rawlinson's operations it Look, he said, at what they admirably supplement General have done since July 18th; while Byug 2. The conjoint movement pointing to the map on the wall? has already reduced Albert and it where the daily, advances had been is confidently anticipated that the marked in different colours." " I. present double turning inversent of told you once previously that the the British will compel the enemy Germans who were launched like a to evacuate the old Somme buttle- wave were going, to break on the field by pressure on, his flanks in strand. This wave is dalling back stend of by the old costly frontal and has now broken like the sear when it draws back on the rocky

PARIS' TO CALAIS.

TRAIN SERVICE RE ESTABLISHED.

REUTER-HAVAS SERVICE.

Panis, Aug. 24. The train service for travellers hap been re-established on the main-line between Paris and Amiens. "In a will follow again their normal route: The journey will be considerably shortened. The measure is of great importance for the renewal of the economic conditions in Northern

SIR R. L. BORDEN'S RETURN.

OTTAWA, Aug. 25; Sir R. L. Borden has arrived.

THE SILVER MARKET.

TIONDON, Aug. 22. The Silver Market is unchanged (Continued on Page 6.)

INTIMATIONS

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTION.

TO THE JUSTICES OF THE PEACE FOR THE COLONY OF HONGKONG.

GENTLEMEN, "I should like to take this opportunity of stating why I am that my name appears first on the list standing for the vacancy on the Legisla- of candidates, which is a point in my tive Council caused by the temporary favour, showing that I relied on the shaence of the Hon. Mr. H. E. Pollock, good sense of the majority of the Justices to vote for me from the first.

I do not claim to be a Commercial man I have been a Justice of the Peace for I do not claim to be a Commercial man and make no apology for not being one as I consider that the Commercial in the Colony, and my profession of a interests of the Community are amply represented by the three British and two Chinese un-officials already elected. As every one is aware, the Public Companies has brought me in daily touch with the investing and commercial public, whose interests have always had my unfailing care and protection. As Secretary of the Chamber of the Colony is very closely connected with its operations, therefore; I am of a prince that it would be in the interests of the Community if a member of my profession had a seat on the Council.

The fact that I have been for the levislation. The fact that I have been for the levislation. past twenty-six years a resident in the In the short space of 2 months during Colony and my calling has brought me which I shall sit, if you elect me, it is

ful this vacancy: slevote my energies to such Public Works | the form in which "the forthenning as are in my opinion of a pressing Estimates in dithe Annual Administrate

other "adequate communication with the reneral community alike. autlying Police Stations must be taken | More and better rouds for pedestrian in hand immediate y.

The crection of a number of houses to essential improvements.

Wong Nei-Chong Village was put for and health-giving form of recreation such ward by Mr. Eds over six years ago; it as is enjoyed by people at the senside in was intended to creet one hundred and England and on the Continent. fifty houses of different sizes, types and rentals. The City was to be approached by an electric tram up the hillside connecting with the low level trams at the head of the Valley; it was toobe self-contained with its own Chapel, School, Co operative Store, Recreation Cleoned, etc. Taikoo has a somewhat a constitute of the contained with the Chapel, School, the Chapel, the Chapel, the Chapel, the Chapel, the Chapel, the Ch similiar little suburb at Quarry Bay, reason that, at that time, there was no which seems to be a great success.

In order that some such scheme remonable scheme enabling the more should be feasible, the sympathy of the unlightened European and Chinese community to live in the at present, unprosubsidiary sewers, water supply, lighting. | me an enthusiastic supporter. training of nullahs, a modification of the Building Ordinance which is suitable H. E. Pollock, K.C., has notified the for buildings in the densely populated Press of his and the other non-official parts of the town, but which is far too drustic, for outlying districts, and above all, a low premium for the land.

perhaps some seed might be sown, which | treatment. will bear fruit in due season. I am, Gentlemen,

Yours, etc. H. W. BIRD, F.R.I.B.A., Hongkong, Aug. 26, 1918.

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THE JUSTICES PEACE OF THE OF HONGKONG.

GENTLEMEN,-You will have noticed

into close touch with its development, impossible to ensure that whatever I is my excuse for offering my services to support I shall see carried out, but during that time I shall endeavour to If I am elected it is my intention to personner the Government to improve issued, so that they will be more under-The provision of telephonic or some standable to Government officials and

and motor traffic, the installation of both The opening of the Pokfulum catch-ment area for building purposes is a matter that I have advicated ever since better defence of the Colony) in the ourthe New Tytam reservoir was started. lying stations are, in my opinion,

Accommodate those of the European Properly supervised ferry services to Community who cannot afford expendently outlying villages with Government finansive dwellings and are at present located cial support in return for a royalty, or A scheme of this nature for erecting a sity to assist in spreading the population Garden City on the plateau acove the and in order to afford the latter a cheap

money in it for them. In fact, any co-operation by way of providing ductive outlying districts under cheaper adequate means of access, main and and more modern conditions will find in

Your present member, the Hon Mr. members' disapproval of the differential treatment meted out to the wives of the local men now leaving for the war, and It cannot be expected that a Utopia I am quite in favour" of supporting should be created all at once, but any further action to secure equality of

I am in favour of continuing to devote as much as possible of the surplus revenues of the Colony to the needs of the war, for if we lose the war we lose all but I desire that provision should be 898 made in the Estimates for a more decent Lunatic Asylum, so strongly advocated by the Hon. Mr. Holyouk recently in

am not in favour of hastilyconceived building schemes and consequent jerry building. Nor am I in sympathy with hereditary legislators with free seats on the Legislative Council interfering in elections in which only free and independent voters are entitle to take part, as such seems, to me to be unfair and certainly un-English.

I have exacted no promises to vote for

me-a The ballot is secret and no signatures are required. The rest is in your hands, for a X only is desired ifrom you opposite A. R. Lowe's name on the paper. The election takes place at the Supreme Court and not up at Manistracy, as first advertised, because ecord your vote on the level. 633 Government kindly acquiesced in this at my request, so it will be seen that I have already done something before making any promises.

ing you is the highest the Colony 'car bestow to which I can aspire, and I wil. do my best to fulfil your expectations if you elect me.

I have the honour to be. Gentlemen, Your obedient servant, A. R. LOWE. Hongkong, Aug. 26, 1918.

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THE BASEBALL SCANDAL.

RACE CLUB DECISION AGAINST MR. J. I. EZRA.

he above affair:- ""

When the Stewards of the Race Club announced a week ago, the special meeting of members which no collusion between himself and was held last night, there were probably few people in Shanghai, who had not some inkling as to the reason for the meeting being called. For upwards of a week previously

nothing had been more commonly tulked about than the alleged sirrethought you would find it ensier to gularities of the baseball tournanent. Now that this special meeting of the members of the Race Club has been held and their deci-In conclusion, the bonour of represent- | sion arrived at; the following statement of the facts may be published:

on Suturday, August 3rd, the 9th

Cavalry were beaten by Meiji by

8-1 considerable surprise was expressed. The same surprise was Ith Cavalry went down to the Navy by 3-5. Considering the superexcellence of the 9th Cavalry team and the peculiarity of their play on the Saturday afternoon, the suspicions of the Baseball Association were aroused. Investigations were accordingly made, with the result that a definite complaint was laid by Mr. W. L. Merriman before the Stawards of the Race Club. and ultimately held a meeting last Monday evening at which Mr. Judah Ezra was asked to be present, when

should have been decided. August 3rd, and another \$1,000 on marked publicly. the evening of August 5th, but be The last word should be emphasized. uffirmed positively that there was no The affairs of the Race Club are not as collusion of any kind whatsoever and those of any other club. It is a semithat the money was only given to public institution which twice a year the mental a mark of sympathy and conducts a large race meeting, thiolving to console them; for their defeut, big sums of money. Such an institu-He further admitted that he and his tion cannot permit the faintest breath friends had freely entertained the Ath of misunderstanding to sully its reputa-Cavalry team, taken them for motor won and It is the just pride of the Shang. CHINA MAIL DEFICE.

Merriman.

the Stewards. "Accepting Mr." Ezra's statement in full that there had been friends and the 9th Cavalry, it apneared to the Stewards that Mr. Ezra's conduct in associating himself so freely with the 9th Cavalry team, and in giving them money without the knowledge of their them. With all the rimburs that have superior officer, thereby contributing to get them into trouble and to bring discredit upon their regiment, was conduct unbecoming to a member of the Ruce Club, and on this ground alone they "decided to refer it" to a that our American friends will set their special meeting of the members o the Ruce Club to decide whether Mr hudah Ezra should be permitted to retain his membership.

It will be remembered that when At the end of a protracted meet ing yesterday evening, during which the accusation of actual bribery was dropped, the voting members present decided, by 112 votes to 17, with six algaratining, to remove Mr. Judah also felt two days later when the Ezra's name from the roll of club

In an Editorial comment on the affair the N.C. Daily News says -There can be no question but that the great body of public opinion will entirely approve of the action of the Race Club Stewards and members in remov ling the name of Mr. Judah Ezra from the list of membership. As, will be seen from the narration of the principal facts which we publish in a parallel The column, the original charge was dropped latter pursued their own inquiries in the face of Mr. Ezra's strong denial of anything in the nature of bribery. But there remained the question of whether, on his own admission, his conduct was such as to be becoming to s he was informed that a charge was member of the Race Club, That 's haid against him and two of his wealthy young man should have assofriends, of having bribed the Oth Elated so freely with the members of Cavalry to lose the match on August this particular team in the way that Mr. Brd. One of those friends is also a Ezra did, is repignant to all proper member of the Ruce Club, but lis sense. That, in addition, he should have case was postponed for considera- made them such large presents of money tion until after Mr. Juduh Ezra's without the knowledge of their commanding officer, " was "bound "to excite sun-In reply, Mr. Judah Ezra etrenu- picion. We pride ourselves with some ously denied the accuration. He justice on being a thoroughly sporting admitted that he and his friends had community, and when the ethics of sport given \$1,000 to some of the Oth appear to be infringed, it is the general Cuyalry team, on the evening of desire that public displeasure shall be

car rides, etc., during their stay, hat have Club that no racing body in He did not deny that he and his the world can surpass it in the scrapafriends had won considerable sums lousness of its management It is not of money in betting on the result of enough that such an accusation as that of money in betting on the result of the matches, but pointed out that just dealt with should be privately directly he became aware of the talked of during the past ten days, as The N.C. Daily Newsynf the 20th winning, he and his friends had re- we remember very few matters being inst. has the following statement on turned the money, \$15,000, to Mr. talked of; and it is as much due to the public generally as to the Race Club This explanation did not satisfy litself that the whole story should be

Imade known. sense of obligation, to the American Basebull Association for its share clearing up a very unpalatable scandal. That the American community have felt the whole affair deeply is easily understood and we can fully sympathize with been flying about during the past ten days, not only the reputation of a great. American national sport, but the honour of the American Army might seem to be impugned. On both counts we trust minds at rest. Taking the rumours alluded to at their blackest (for the sake of argument), there is no game in the world without its unpleasant chapter. vet without stain to the prestige it has fairly won: and for the honour of the American Army, that is written too high for any passing cloud on one tiny section of it to dim its brightness in the memory of friend or foe. ? ?

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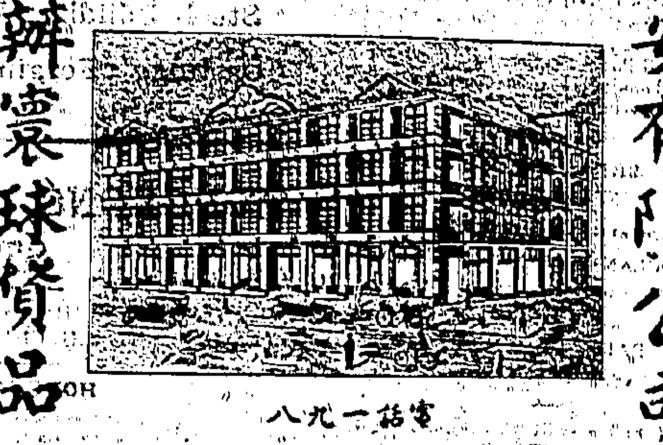
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SUNDAY'S TELEGRAMS.

THE GREAT BATTLE.

GERMANS BEING PURSUED. ENEMY RESISTANCE DIMINISHING.

LONDON, Aug. 23. Rauter's Correspondent at the French Headquarters, telegraphing yesterday evening, states :--

The pursuit continued during the whole of the afternoon and avening. treat in disorder. Numerous trains on Bapaume and Albert. the other, side of the Oise-have been Simultaneously, General Mangin with

fiercest to save important material, but latter town. in vain. Our troops at the close of the Supporting him General Humbert evening had advanced to St. Faul. a with another French Army took in the Other regiments, following, collected flank and the "rear the Genmans who

resistance, chiefly by machine-guns, was or the enemy. His rapide advance, diminishing. Nevertheless, it was des- through difficult wooded country is one perate at certain points, notably at St.] of the most wonderful feats in the battle, Autin, and to the north of Hill 140 and has already brought him most where we are fighting with bombs; important results. long. It is impossible to count them, bombarded by Allied heavy artiflery

The enemy considers the positions of the French field-guns. his first line divisions as very precarious. All the operations of the three great He rests his hopes on the second line armies under Generals Byug, Humbert divisions which are echelonned in depth, and Mangin were admirably coin order to resist at all costs.

Our advance continued this morning towards the Ailerte, through the enemy's broken front.

GERMANS EXHAUSTED.

EFFECTS OF PROLONGED HOMBARDMENT,

LONDON, Aug. 23.

ing yesterday, says:-The enemy is feeling the effects of our prolonged bombardment. Our eroplanes are meeting with less op

position owing to the urgent demands t on enemy aircraft elsewhere. Our airmen are effectively assisting the gunners in keeping the Aisne bridges and their approaches under constant fire, All supplies for the Germans south of the Aisne must daily cross the river by bridges,

are still good targets. Immediately the dense morning mist dissipated, the overpowering on the night of August 21st-22nd with heat was responsible for the surrender of many Germans who were exbausted by it. They say that the hare unable to sleep in the night owing to our artillery firing and persistent bombing, which has also

FIGHTING ON WHOLE BRITISH

HAIG'S TROOPS PROGRESSING.

LONDON, Aug. 23. Field-Marshal Sir Douglas Haig

Fighting is proceeding on practicall the whole front between Lihons ar the Cojeul river. We are progressing at a number

We repulsed two attacks at night the neighbourhood of Daillescourt farm east of Beaucourt. We slightly advanced our line east of Le Touret, north-west of Neuf Berquin, and east of Outtersteene.

A local hostile attack north-west of Bailleul broke down before a our positions.

RENCH CAPTURE MORE POINTS

CONTINUED ADVANCE.

LONDON, Aug. 23. A French communiqué states :-During the day we continued to progress on the whole battle front.

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ilative powers are decreasing. WATERCURY'S METABOLIZED COD LIVER OIL COMPOUND

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East of the Oise we carried our lines. to the outskirts of Quierzy. Between the Ailette and the Aisne-

we captured St. Aubin, Selens. Bagnoux, Epugny, Bienry, Maureais and Pommiors. The enemy abandoned a great amount f material between the Aisne and the

Over 200 guns have been counted iince August 20th." TEN-MILE DENT INTO GERMAN

FRONT. ALLIED OPERATIONS

ADMIRABLY CO-ORDINATED [REUTER-HAVAS SERVICE.]

Paris, Aug. 21. The operations directed by Marshal Foch were yesterday marked by a fresh We reached the Oise at Sempigny, development. General Sir Julian just as the bridges were blown up, but Byng's Third British Army attacked at the destruction was incomplete. dawn on a front of about ten miles and Ourseamps. Further south, as we were occupying between Arras and the Ancre. Their

Our artillery and cavalry pushed General Mangin has now driven a BRITISH CAPTURE GOMMIECOURT. dent of about ten miles deep into the It was soon noticeable that the enemy | German front at a most dangerous point

as there are at least several thousands. has now been brought under the fire of

ordinated.

AMERICANS MAKE SUCCESSFUL RAID.

LONDON, Aug. 23. An American official report says:

A successful raid north of the Vesle yielded 11 prisoners. Our aviators on August 21st and 22nd successfully bombed the rail-Reuter's Correspondent at the road yards at Longayon, Audonlerotons of bombs during the day. We American Headquarters, telegraph man, and Conflans with 31 tons, of attacked Gondecourt serodrome to good bombs. Many direct hits were re- effect also many dumps, stations and corded. All our machines returned.

BOLD AIR-RAIDS INTO GERMANY

DESTRUCTION WROUGHT. LONDON, Aug. 23.

The Air Ministry states :---Despite the enemy's determined within our lines. protective, efforts, consisting of large numbers of aeroplanes and an increasing number of anti-aircraft guns, we beavily ble owing to our fire. Hence they attacked five important German towns and five aerodromes.

We attacked Frankfort and Cologne very good results. Bombs landed all around the stations and barracks. We also successfully attacked the

Traves railways junction. All machines returned. We beavily bombed four aerodromes sitting many hangurs. We also machine gunned hangars, trains, search-

lights and anti-nireraft gups. One ofour machines is missing. We attacked chemical factories at Mannheim on the morning of August

successfully bombed their objective. return journey as a result of which five firing at our Tunks by means of other British machines are missing. We bombs and machine-gunning from destroyed three hostile machines, two the air. of which crashed to the ground. One

fell in flames. We attacked the railway sidings at Cobienz in the morning and the aerodrome at Hagenau with very good results. All our machines returned.

> REMARKABLE FRENCH EFFICIENCY.

We dropped 194 bombs at night and

MR. FRANKLIN ROOSEVELT'S IMPRESSIONS.

21 tons during the day.

REUTER-HAVAS, SERVICE.

Returning to Paris from a trip to the French and American Naval bases, Mr. Between the Maiz and Uise we are Franklin Roosevelt, the assistant Secreskirting the Divette from its mouth to tary of the United States Navy, yesterday received Paris newspapermen. He declared that he was much impressed by the Naval effort in France. He said: "Two things especially excited my admiration; firstly, the organisation and tremendous works completed in so short a time, and which will be devoted to the after-war needs of France; secondly, the remarkable efficiency of the methods in combating submarines. There are now ports and places where our troops land on the French coast which are absolutely

> MILITARY MEDAL FOR AUSTRA-LIAN NURSE.

protected

LONDON, Aug. 22. The Military Medal has been awarded to an Australian staff nurse, Pearl Cork-During an enemy air-raid she attend-ed the wounded regardless of her own

safety though the memy were overhead.

alleying the patients elerm.

M. Marsh & Buckeye Аметекраль Ард., 22. The Cologne Gazette has published a report from Constantinople that the King of Hedjaz is dead.

> THE OISE FRONT VIOLENT BOMBARDMENTS...

FRENCH GO FORWARD.

Loxbox, Aug. 28,

A Erench communique states: During the night "there were vjolent " bombardments between Beauvraignes and the Cise; hote ably, at Le Plemont, Passelchir

pigny as far as the railway front "We carried our line forward to the butskirts of Guny and Pont St.;

At night elsewhere there was calm.

ATTACK ON SEVEN-MILE

two miles. So far 1,500 prisoners

A SUCCESSFUL DAY'S WORK.

LONDON, Aug. 25. Field-Marshal Sir Douglas Haig reporting on aviation, states :-

There was a busy and successful day on Aug. 22th. Our airmen constantly harassed the enemy. We dropped 35

We destroyed 20 aeroplanes and drove down four out of control. Three British dropped 'nineteen tons of bombs on selected targets, including the railway junction at Valenciennes, Somain, Donaid and Cambrail All returned. We brought down one enemy bomber

London, Aug. 28. Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig, reporting on aviation, states:-A thick mist prevented our aero-

weather cleared participation banimen attacked bostile 22nd. During heavy fighting on the troops and transport from low altioutward journey two of our machines tudes with bornbs and machinewere brought down. The remainder guns, scattering ammunition wagons and marching columns. Also Very fierce fighting occurred on the several cases, they silenced guns

> We dropped twelve tons of bombsduring the day, destroying 21 neroplane, and driving down eight out

Eight British machines are missing. Our night bombers dropped 254 tons of bombs on different turgets and Cambrai and Marcoing stations were heavily attacked, also number of railway bridges, lines, aérodromes and billets." We broke down at Aubigny-au-Bae a bridge on

machines returned. One of our night-fliers brought sense; the horrors of war; etc. Those down in flames a large enemy are general propositions with which, One British machine reported missing yesterday has now

the Donai-Cambrai road. All our

LOST COLONIES

facts will accept Dr. Solt's view. The British Government will shortly Trallans CAPTURE VILLAGES. publish a Blue Book about German

KING OF HEDJAZ REPORTED

Reserve and the second section 4.25; panish

We hold the southern banks of Petit-Maupas, the enemy began to re gain of ground greatly threatens the Oise and the Ailette from Sem-Coury-le-Chateau to the east of

FRONT.

London, Aug. 23. .General Rawlinson again attacked Batches of prisoners arrived, all night Novon, which has continuously been to-day south of the South our a front, of seven miles and penetrated

> have been taken. General Sir Julian Byng also 15attack to-day towards Bapanne and cuptured Commiscourt.

BRITISH AERIAL ACTIVITIES

bridges and Bruges docks.

BRITISH AVIATORS HARRASS GERMANS.

planes participating in the early stage of the attack northward of the Ancre on August 21 but when the

FUTURE OF GERMANY'S

STATEMENT BY LORD ROBERT CECIL.

LONDON, Aug. 28. cabled on August 21st, said Dr. Solf ber defeat. was indignant at the suggestion that German rule was inhumane. I don't believe anyone knowing the

Her example was of the greatest value Solf a docume that the Germans Livaka and Sassosteiani, in the

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On the contrary, we know that one important German section advocated a German African Empire to dominate Africa militarily and to furnish a great store for military purposes. Moreover, the possession of coastal ports, would be the greatest' danger to the British Empire and of the greatest importance to Germany! Dr. Solf's allegation that Mr. Ballour proposed the annexation of Germany's African Colonies by the British Empire is inaccurate. Such a proposal has never been made by Mr. Balfour. Others have said it is impossible for Germany to resume control of her colonies; beyoud that, neither Mr. Ballour nor

Mr. bloyd George have gone.

of the German, colonies, would be, decided at the Peace Conference. "Clearly, a great world issue cannot be settled by this country alone. It has to be settled in concert with. the Allies. Dr. Solf's percrution comprises remarks about commoneveryone in this country is always' ngreed. Their force is entirely destroyed by the fact that until the tide of war appeared to change we heard nothing about such doctrines. We all remember the stuff said about the "glories of war, its educative effects and such diabolical trash, but just after the beginning of the German offensive, we will remember, there was an outbreak throughout Germany of the old demand for world domination. This sudden anxiety for peace, if sincere, shows that Dr. Solf is either the subject In the course of an interview with of a sudden convention or almost Reuter's Agency, Lord Robert Cocil, alone among the Germans. I am Under Secretary for Fereign Affairs, profoundly convinced that peace is referring to Dr. Solf's observations not obtainable without victory and regarding the Garman Colonies an acknowledgment by Germany of

PILSENER BEER The Prime Minister said the future rule in the Colonies, some of the London, Aug. 23. of brutality. I cannot accept Dr. we have captured the villages

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ing Corperation, London Staff.

China

Honokone, Monday, August 26, 1918.

HONGKONG'S HOUSING

there as discussion

PROBLEM.

in the local newspapers on the

housing problem in Hongkong and

it will be noticed that the subject

during the short absence on leave of

shows no advance on similar discus-

to time during the last ten years.

Emphasis is laid on the need for

Government sympathy and co-opera-

tion in new housing schemes, but

in point of fact we do not know that

with any want of sympathy or

co operation. The Government afford-

ed facilities for the scheme conceived

in the special interest of the

Portuguese community some six years

ago by Mr. Montagu Edm for

creating a Garden City of about one

hundred and fifty houses of

various types and rentals on the

lines of the co-operative building

societies at home. Just about the

same time, too, the Government gave

its sanction to a very much more

ambitious scheme which had in view

the creation of a new suburb, or new

city with European' and Chinese

reservations. The scheme covered

a big area and included the right

(which indeed was the foundation

of the scheme) to construct a tram-

way or light railway from a point

in Happy Valley through Wongnei-

chong Gap to Deep Water Bay, and

moters the option of taking up leases

of extensive areas of unleased Crown

lands with building "rights" on land

in the vicinity of Wongneichong Gap,

land adjoining the route of the tram

line south of the area, land adjoining

road from Aberdeen to the East side

of Repulse Bay, and lastly the tidal

flat between Aberdeen, Little Hong

kong, and Brick Hill-the respective

areas being indicated on a map

attached to the agreement. Recently

in the course of an article on the

subject of the overcrowding of the

population in Hongkong we recalled

this scheme as being one which

seemed to us to offer the most

practicable reniedy, so far as the

island itself is concerned, and we

asked what had become, of the

acheine, or why no progress had been

made with it. Mr. Bowner furnished

the reply that the ccucme has been

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scheme is the construction of an electric railway which cannot be undertaken in war time." If any practical good is to come out of the renewed concentration of public interest on the housing question which is indisputably a very serious problem-it seems to us that it can best be achieved by concentrating energy on "the realisation of these two schemes, and the schemes of a like character at Kowloon, at the serve a good purpose if the new member or one of the other un-official members of the Council were to move for the appointment of Committee to inquire into the reasons for the delay in carrying out these schemes and to make recommenda-

'as the essential tenture of the

NEWS OF THE DAY.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

A new Portuguese Club is being formed at Shanghai.

. The Teutonia Club at Singapore is situation. being offered for salo by Custodian of Enemy property.

The fourth Gymkhana of the season is fixed for Saturday, September Sth. There, are, as usual, seven events. on the card.

The Nippon Menkwa Kabushik Kaishn, which anglicised, means The Japan Cotton Trading Co., Ltd., whose head office is in Osaka, has declared an ordinary dividend of 20 per centand a special dividend of 60 per cent for the past year.

A Chinese firm named "Heng Ta; & Co. is suing, at Shanghai, the Venus Fire and Marine Assurance Co. Ltd. for the sum of Tis. 50,000 insurance on the steamer Whatai, which was lost through perils insured against." The forms a prominent feature of the plaintiffs were mortgagees of the steam manifestos by both candidates for the ship.

representation of the Justices of the We learn from a reliable source, Peace on the Legistative Council says the "Peking Times," that on the suggestion of Mr. Lu, Foreign Minister, the Government has agreed to postpone The discussion during the past week the exchange of representatives with the Papul Court until the termination of the war, on account of the Holy See's sions which have occurred from time alleged pro-German sympathies..

> The number of foreign visitors to Unzen during July last totalled 439, an increase of 57 on the figures for the same month of last year. Classified according to nationality, they were: Russian 163, British 120, American 73, and French 27. The remainder were minor figures of other nationalities ...

> tion have gone thoroughly into the are unable to accept the proposal.

According to a news agency report | Europe and America. a case of fraud of a most sensational nature involving sums of several hundred thousands of dollars has been Justice and investigations are being justice.—Peking Leader.

A movement has been going on in Yokohama to establish a motor company with the object of transporting freight the agreement made gave the pro- in the city and to Tokio. It is said that there are about 1,000 carts in Yokohama for freight traffic, but owing to the increase of factories, these are not sufficient to transport materials from one place to another. The capital of the new company is reported to be Y.1,000,000.

or in the vicinity of the proposed- THE HONGKONG JUNIOR TENNIS

O.R.C. (C) v. M.B.K.

This tie was played off on the U.S.R.O. ecurts at Kowloon and resulted in s win for the Chinese team. The Maru holding 8,500 tone scores are as follows :---

H. L. Yung & M. P. Lo v. Imajo and Imura Mikami and Mishima Daijo and Miyajima: Choa and T. T., Ng. v... Imajo and Imura Mikami and Mishima ... 6 Daijo and Miyajina 6 F. Lee & Wei Li Son v. Imajo and Imura Mikami and Mishims 9

Daijo and Miyejima - 8

Total ... C.R.C., 62 games

INTERNAL PEACE ADVOCATED

[The " Chinese Mall " Bervice.]

PERING! Aug. 23. Ng Pui Foo, Chiu Chun Ting, Justice. Fung Yok Techong, Chang Chung Chong and others have sent a circling a bribe of \$50 to a public sercular telegram advocating peace. vant They say that since, according to the Constitution, the President has the earliest, possible date. It might absolute right to declare wan or make peace with foreign countries, he has similar right to make peace within the country. They, therefore, ask the President to issue a Mandate to stop the fighting immediately, and not to delay the matter, because the election of a new President is near. They also express the hope that Tso tions on the subject to the Govern- Kwan will help to arrange the matsery by accountiting with the Yangisza

before the election of a President takes place; but in an interview with Tuan Ki Sui (the Premier) he advocated the election of a President first and then the settlement of the The newspapers, there-

A NEW CHINESE BANK OPENED. CHINESE MERCHANTS BANK, was opium? LIMITED.

To-day the newly-formed Chinese Merchants Bank " celebrated it opening by an "At Home." Bank which has opened in premises until lately occupied by the Ameria and bunting and there was a conmanagement success.

taken up in Saigon, where the Bank meet the case. intends to open a branch within the next two months, or as soon as they are able to arrange. Other branches will also be opened, but the Directorate wisely prefer to wait until norma.

conditions prevail. regarding the lease of the German is in view. The essential features of delicacies.

well-known business men. The Managing Director, Mr. Dong Toy, discovered. The principal culprit is said is un old American citizen from to be a member of the Ministry of New York, famous for his abilities and his Western ideas." The Chie instituted to bring the offender to Manager, Mr. Kwok Man Fat, is the right man, in the right place and Mr. K. F. Luy, the chief accountant, has had good experience with the International Bank.

FREIGHT CONGESTION AT SHANGHAI.

The Shanghai Gazette states that owing to the congestion of freight existing in Shanghai awaiting transhipment to Japan the N.Y.K. Co. have placed three extra permanent steamers on the Japan-Shanghai ones will touch at Shanghai-the Tuuruga Maru of 10,000 tona cargo: carrying cupacity, and the Inaba

The, company expects that by the C.R.O. M.B.K. end of August the situation will b relieved. At present Shanghai ware houses holds over 60,000 tops, o freight awaiting transhipment.

> SUPPLIED BY ALL CHEMISTS THYSICIANS prescribed Chamber-L lain's Colic and Diarrhosa Remedy because it relieves cramps in the stomach preparation they can compound. It can be lought from any chemist. A bottle will keep for years, and no home is complete without it. For sale by alt Chemists and Store tespera Strike Halleria Strike Strike Haller Strike

CRIMINAL SESSIONS

CHARGE OF BRIDERY.

The August Criminal Sessions were resumed, this morning, before Sir William Rees Davies, K.C., Chief

Luk Sing was charged with offer-

Accused pleaded guilty.

Mr. C. G. Alabaster, O.B.E., on behalf of the accured, said the prisomer had plended guilty to giving a bribe to a public servant. When his Lordship knew the facts, he would Loy and Mr. Hall (of Mesers. Wi see that this was not a case of a man kinson & Grist) appeared for seeking out a public servant and try- prosecution, ing to tempt him to act contrary to his duty by offering him money. was rather the act of a person, who Buddenly finding himself caught, imphilipely, in a moment of despera tion, says; "I will give you \$50 if Liang Shih Yibin an interview with you will let me go. That was what President Fung Kwok Chang ad- the facts amounted to. On the 2nd vocated settling the situation first August, the prisoner was walking along Bonham Strand with a parcel containing opium. A policeman was going to Manila via Hongkong. accested him and asked him what which Mr. Wolfe did not accept. he had got... Without attempting in any way to prevariente, the accused said he was carrying opium, and he the fore, attack him for contradicting was arrested. Frightened at the circurnstances, the accused said to the sergeant: "I will give you \$50 i you will let, me go.

His Lordship: He said at once it.

o Mr. Alaboster.: Yesi

Continuing, aMr. Alabaster said accused was taken to the station and when charged, admitted the offence, and said he had given the sergeant \$50. His Lordship would see that can Express. Co. in Queen's Road the whole thing was done on the was tastefully decorated with flowers impulse of the moment, by a man who was obviously a state of great tinual stream of callers-both Chi- excitement and nervous terror. The nese and foreigners to wish the man had been persistently and con-Esistently straightforward in his air-The object of the Bank is to cater swers and had in no way endeavourespecially to the needs of Chinese ed to claim that he was asked for merchants, the authorised capital money. Counsel submitted that this Being \$5,000,000. The shares are was one of those cases that could being subscribed mainly by Chinese properly be dealt with under Section and applications for shares are daily 40 of Ordinance 1 of 1898, which flowing in ... The management expect provided a fine, or imprisonment, or

good support from the Chinese in both. The prisoner is a married man America, but owing to the high with a family and an old mother exchange it will take time before the whom he has to support. There was full support, from this quarter is nothing known against the accused accorded. 'Many shares are being Counsel suggested that a fine would

His Lordship: Do you acquiesce,

Mr. Crown Solicitor?... Mr. Wakeman: We have nothing lagainst, him and the police know nothing about him.

In reply to his Lordship accused The Bank is at present temporarily said he intended to come to Hong-The Shanghai Mercury learns that housed in the Astor House building, kong to buy some goods and send the Shanghai Hotels, Ltd., has been but an up-to-date building aituated them to his country. He was 28 approached by the Chinese Government in the business part of Chinese town years of age and dealt in marine

Club in Shanghai at Tls. 2,000 a month. the new structure will be after the! Addressing the accused, his Lord-The Directors of the Company in quest style of the big banks, but of cement ship, said the learned Counsel land concrete, the basement of which will made an appeal to the Court for question and have decided that they be used as a deposit vault for the lenient treatment on the ground that amongst the committee which welpublic, similar to those used in accused had been perfectly frank, comed several of the delegates to the At the same time a serious offence, International Parliamentary Con-The Directors of the Board are had been committed in offering a ference on Commerce on their arr bribe to a public servant but accused at Southampton on let inst. did not deliberately conceive the Japanese, Chinese, and Greek reprematter beforehand. The accused would be fined \$150, the \$50 handed to the sergeant to go towards the fine, and \$100 to be paid, in default one month's imprisonment.

SHANGHAI TRADE.

Messrs. Hbert and Co.'s Piece Goods from that date, " Market Report says:-

The tone of the market has continued good throughout the interval though the actual amount of business done shows some falling off from that of the previous Captain Kirk was a solicitor and came two weeks. For the time being the Sze- to Shanghai in 1909 to join Messrs. chuan demand for White Shirtings appears to have been filled, but other out- service of the Council as Police Legal not exceed a month." lets, chiefly, the Northern ports, run. During this month two extra supporting the market with a steady he was appointed Chief Detective stream of orders for moderate quantities, while Hankow merchants are also. operating, though on somewhat scanty lines. Prices for all . cloths are very steady with a firmer undertonel

" The absence of rain in the lower Yangteze regions continues to cause uneasiness amongst the natives but it is not yet too late for a break in the weather to bring the Autumn crops to a healthy, remained there until recently, at the The most satisfactory feature of the

present business in cloth is the fact that the element of speculation is entirely absent from it and that the goods are going Into immediate consumption and and intestinal pains quicker than any not into godowns in the up-country marts. The same can scartely be said of local yarn which is again advancing yee materially over the prices objainable

ZULT beside is proper

THE MACISTRACY.

INCITING WORKMEN TO

Chinese workmen were charged in Mr. Wolfe's Court this morning with intimidating other Chiriese workmen and inciting them j to go on strike. "

The two defendants, went to th Secretary for Chinese Affairs asked him for an increase of wages for themselves and the other work

The defendants pleaded not guilts Mr. M. K. Lo (of Messrs. Lo

The case was remanded.

K RETURNED BANISHEEL P Chinese was sentenced to on

ar's rigorous imprisonment eturning from banishment. The defendant was said to be an undesimble and was convicted May, 1917, for returning from banish- similar lines. As the document is

nent. He gave the" plea that

THE TYPHOON.

The telegrams quoted below were received from the Manila Observa-

Aug. 24, 11 p.m. Typhoon near or over Southern Formose moving WAW; or N.W. Aug. 24, 11 p.m. Cyclone or typhoon near or over the Formosa Channel movi

HONGKONG POLICE RESERVE.

Orders issued by Mr. F. C. Jenkin,

* SELUCIE SCPERVISORS. All Inspectors. Syrgeants and Constables doing Search Supervision Duty are warned to attend without fail before the D.S.P. (R.) at Headquarters Office at 5.30 p.m. on Twesday, August 27th. Uniform optional.

STAFF INSPECTORS. All Staff Inspectors (ex-regular Police) will attend at this Office on Tuesday, August 27th, at 5.30 p.m.

BELTS. All ranks below the rank of C.S. who have not already done so, are warned to draw belts at Headquarters Office at 5.45 p.m. on Tuesday, August 27th.

PRESENTATION. A presentation to O.S.M. Wilks take : place . at, Headquarters . Club Friday, August 30th; at 5.45 p.m. Hongkong, Angust 26th, 1918.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. Harry Greer, the newly-elected M.P. for Clapham, is a director of H. and W. Greer, Ltd., a firm that has branches throughout India, China, Japan. Straits Settlements and Far East generally. Mr. Greer has are exempted until they have been tried travelled extensively throughout those and, if convicted. liberated after under

Mr. Gershom Stewart. M.P. was sentatives were siready here.

been ill of slight congestion of the changed without delay to be with right lung, but under the treatment of Dr. A. Poix, physician in ordinary be employed on military service, either to the King, and Dr. Lung Sakda, Dire tor of the Chulelongkorn Hospital, it was expected, according to a bulletin issued on the 7th inst. that His Majesty would be well in ten days once to carry out the agreement. Three

A telegram was received at Shanghai last week announcing that Captain Luals will be free. Claims arising out of O. G. Kirk, Adjutant 14th York and Lance Regt., had been killed in action. Officer, which position he held until he went home to volunteer for active service in August, 1915. He was granted a commission as 2nd Lieutenant in the 14th York and Lancaster Regiment, and subsequently was promoted to a captaincy in the same regiment. In 1916 he sustained shellshock on the Somme as the resul which he was invalided home regimental depot

Mosquitos are stated in a recent London paper to be rampent in South Last London

A Government department is as slow sheriff's officer, soys Mr. Barnes, that instruber for Lineagery Macdengides about member of the War-Calmet.

THE GERMENS IV CHINA

WHY THEY ARE NOT DEPORTED OR INTERNED.

The London Correspondent of the N. C. Duily Name writes

From barn exactly what his habtworst with regard to the non-deportation of Germans in Chinas Apparently the ides of deportation has long been favoured by the British Government and it was very strongly hacked by Japan, though a the telegram from Tokio which americal that an understanding had been actived at with China was not only premature but actually harmful. In fact, it achieved the termination of the negotiations, at all avents for the present. New factors have, however, entered into the

question which very much complicate it. In the first place, when China was saked to deport the Germana the naturally fell back upon the Entente to provide the shipe. They agreed to do this but then found the difficulties insuperable. In the meantime, the Franco-German convention for the exchange of civilian prisoners had been concluded, and it was officially announced that Sir George Cave had been sent to Holland to conclude an Anglo German one on somewhat most important, dealing with civilian prisoners in France and Germany, it is true, but establishing the principle for all countries. It herewith append a trapsistion, merely pointing out that it does away with internment and deportation altogether. Naturally, I only, francists the section referring to civil prisoners.

LIBERATION OF EXPATRIATION. 1.-Civilians belonging to one of the signatory States whatever their ago and sex, and who at the moment of the coming into force of the present agreement are on the territory of the other State. and who (a) are actually interned, and (b) who have been interned since the start of the war and then liberated, are authorized on their demand and according to specified conditions, to leave the country where they are now detained. No distinctions will be made between civilians on enemy territory at the start of the war and those who have been brought there in the course of it.

2. Those civilians whatever the date of internment or the decision actuating their internment, who have been placed in any internment camp of any sort against their will and which they are not allowed to leave, shall be considered as being or having been interned in the sense of the present agreement.

-3.—Civilians who at the start of the war were domiciled or lived either on enemy territory where they have been interned or on the free territory of their own State, shall be sent home vitt Switzerland:

4.-Civilians who at the start of the war lived in occupied territory shall be sent home by, if military conditions permit, Switzerland. In case military reasons should not permit their return to their original home, they shall be sent vill switzerland to some other locality in the occupied territory which shall be assigned to them as residence, while a note shall be made of their ultimat

5. - If a civilian asks to remain on the territory of the State where he has been detained he can he authorized to do so on condition that it takes place that he keeps to a fixed residence (residence determinée).

6.—Civilians who under previous clauses are to be taken to the Swiss frontier. candif they desire, be sent instead to the frontier of some neutra

adjoining State. 7. Wives of civilians thus affected whether interned or not, benefit by these provisions the same as their husbands. Children are similarly affected. If the wives and children are now on occupied territory the families shall be reunited so far as it may be militarily possible.

going the punishment. The two Governments shall mutually supply all facts dealing with persons thus affected. 9.—Civilians interned in Switzerland shalf be liberated. 10.-Lists shall be prepared of all civilians affected within, eight days after the procedure is officially announced by poster and the lists of those who wish

to leave the country where they are detained shall be mutually exchanged without delay. The marged only in 11.—Civilians wishing to benefit by the terms of the agreement must within three months inform the authorities of their desire. The lists of those wishing H. M. the King of Siam has recently to be repatriated will be mutually ex-

.12. Civilians thus repatriated cannot at the front or in the rear or in the interior of occupied country, or in the territory or possessions of an Allied

13.-Arrangements shall be made at months are allowed for dealing with interned prisoners and six months for dealing with those who, once interned. are now free. All transport of individthe present agreement must be handed to the competent diplomatic authority within the specified periods plus one

14. Should a quarantine be deemed Assistant the following year. In 1914 15.—The agreement does not apply to German' civilians in Belgian hands even if they are, on French soil, or to invalid

> civilians interned in Switzerland. 16.—A. State which may barn anthorized a civilian to remain on its territory. or to return to regions occupied by the onemy shall not be obliged after the expiration of the statutory periods mentioned above to permit such a civilian to leave if by an after-thought he expressed

his desire to do no. If Sir George Cave concludes any agreement on these lines, or on anything like them, the internment camps in this country will disappear. The Chinese. Covernment may well wait and see what happens. We certainly do not blame

Mir. Harry Lauder has announced that he will be a candidate at the next. reneral election in opposition either to-Mr. Philip Snowden imember for Black.

TELEGRAMS.

(Continued from Page 1.)

HEAVY, FIGHTING IN SIBERIA.

RITISH, FRENCH AND JAPANESE ENGAGED.

Taspos, Aug. 24. The Daily Mail Correspondent Harben telegraphing on the aftermoon of the 21st inst. reports heavy on the Userri River. and French troops were Japanese later joined in evening the MIF-s were withdrawing ments were vesterday morning set on the Bolshevist monitors on Lake Hanka which were sworrying the

EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

'Allied left flank.

THE GREAT OFFENSIVE. THE FALL OF ALBERT.

LONDON, Aug. 23. Reuter's Correspondent at British Hendquarters, telegraphing to-day,

. In the attack in the Albert sector some Tanks crossed the Ancre in the darkness and advanced under cover of an early morning mist.

Opposition from the direction of Brav was strong but the enemy artillery retaliation consisted mainly of heavy German field-guns have been withdrawn Heavy riffe and machine gun fire.

greeted the entry of our troops into Albert at ten in the morning of Thurs-.day and by eleven o'clock, after street fighting, we had driven the enemy out of the town and captured I,400 prisoners including a battalion commander, his staff, a few guns and numerous machine-

The Germans previously evacuated

-Although at some points northwards of the Somme we are still feeling our way through the enemy's deep outpost. zone, we nevertheless made useful gains of ground with hundreds of prisoners and inflicted the heaviest casualties. Our own losses were relatively light, as we were guided by the doctrine not to be too ambitious when success was likely light. to be too costly. For this reason we did not attempt to push through Achier le- great havoe among the machine gun ground were seen on fire. Altogether Slave and the Czecho-Slovaks, must be JAPANESE RED CROSS MISSION. Grand on Wednesday. The enemy here is in great strength and is still counter-: attacking with fresh reserves.

Last night's attack by the Third Army troops beyond the Arras Albert Railway gained important positions. We have pushed to the south of Gommecourt, where heavy fighting continues. The weather is mercifully cooler. "

GERMANS IN FULL RETREAT.

Paris, Aug. 23. . The Germans are in full retreat on *both sides of the Oise over a front of 50 kilometres. The Soissons region being gradually freed by the Allies, while their mennee on 'Noyon is being vigorously and successfully on more accentuated, considerable material, including 200 guns, was esptured Marshal Foch. The Germans are still making tremendous sacrifices in human material to cover, by rearguard at 4.45 a.m. and captured Herieville. sections, the retirements forced upon them, Chuignes, and Chuignolles, also woods BRITISH AIRMEN'S SUCCESSFU but yesterday again these actions proved between the villages and between futile, and the Allies continued their Chnignolles and the river, during an progress. General Mangin's troops made advance of over two miles. We killed a rapid advance along their whole front; great numbers, and took many prisoners, widening their hold on the Oise bank; Ten minutes, later, English and Scottish reaching from the Ailette to the north. Guards attacked on the left of the west of Courcy. While these operations | battle-front and stormed Gomecourt. were in progress, General Humbert's men | Ervillers, Hamelincourt, Boyelles and were clearing the ground south and Boiry becquerelle. They took many south-east of Lassigny, pushing towards prisoners and during the remainder of Noyon. They captured the height of the day progressed eastward of these Plemont, one of the outer defences of villages. Noyon on the west. This town cannot successes reported yesterday. Courcy, attacked the positions on the cast, bank and Chauny are also closely menaced of the Anere from south-eastward of and only an early retreat from these. Albert to the neighbourhood of Grandtowns can save the Germans from an court, graining ground after heavy increasingly perilous situation.

MARSHAL FOCHS PLAN.

LONDON, Aug. 23.

"The special and ultimate aim 'Marshal Pooh's strategic plan, which he is working out in the present series of Irles. battles, is the subject of much speculation alike in London and Paris.

Broadly, the opinion of experts is divided between those who believe that Marshal Foch is striking a number of hammer blows with the object of weakening the enemy numerically, positionally, and as regards moral, preparatory to a decisive blow at some absolutely vital spot, and those who think he is at present merely endeavourning to disorganise what is really a great German rotreat or intention to retreat during the night, taking prisoners. The ... The enemy crossed the Albert-Bray on large sectors, being content to reap attack was resumed early in the morn- road. Our counter attack threw him the rich fruits of this disorganisation in ing. the shape of big hauls of prisoners and Since the morning of Wednesday, in We have withdrawn our troops bematerial, and to allow later results to | three days fighting, we have taken | hind the Ailette. Our troops left on guide him in the matter of more decisive 1.14,000 prisoners and a number of guns. | the west bank of the Ailette retired. action this year. Some able French We carried out a successful local before strong attacks between Manicamp critics hold the latter view, which is operation in the evening north westward and Pont St. Mard. based on the theory that a withdrawal of Neuf Berquin and repulsed, aftersharp is gradually going on to some new fighting, local attacks at night-time Hindenburg line which is probably of northward of Bailloul, southward of great depth. Those who argue that we Locre and northward of Kemmel. are at present witnessing the prelimin- Fighting took place, to our edvantage, aries to a declaive stroke Luss their thick hoching borth west of La Blate bolist on the facts that the Alles are Canal and in the Givenby sector.

PHOTO MENDING

resumably employing very considerble forces in the aggregate in the present battles, that they are exploiting their gains to the utmost that they are already threatening vital enemy positions; and that moreover, it would be folly not to push to the last degree this year the immense advantage of their reguined initiative, superior moral and enthusiasm for an offensive. especially among the Americans: . . .

It is pointed out that other considerations, apart from weighty political reasons, are that the Germans have still regiments. many Divisions in Russimandit is possible they have still more Divisions booked for a surprise enterprise this year on some other frunt. Hence it is not absolutely

the battle, one of the most important is factory redoubt. "Beyond Domiscourt at forming a Brigade of Irishmen, "He the British threat on Bapaume, the fall four patrols are seen as far as Mory-Achiet-le-Grand, where the main de- sion yesterday seized an opportunity fensive positions of Bapaume are located, and successfully advanced a third of a few freedom and progress, assisted by the northern Russian Provinces. The shows he realises this.

THE DISPOSITION OF THE

Information available in London at 3 o'clock to-day was that General Bapaume. Rawlinson's Fourth Army had gained all its objectives. It captured the high ground south-west of Cappy, and also captured Chuignes and Herleville. Phere is an unconfirmed report that Usna Hill, north-eastward of Albert, has been captured. To-day's advance of General Byng's Third Army has so far resulted in the capture of Boiry-Becgeralle, Boyelles, and Hamilineourt, also Gomiecourt, where 500 prisoners were taken. General Byng's advance is progressing in a south-easterly direction from Gomiecourt and is now

fronting the Albert-Bapaume-Cambrai-Australians and New Zealanders are participating in General Byng's operations. The Canadians are with General

Rawlinson's army .. General Mangin's Tenth French Army day, in the Evricourt region. is also progressing. His patrols to-day made progress between the Ailette and crossed the Aisne at several places the Aisne and continued east of Bagneux Senate Foreign Relations Committee in howitzers, well back, as the bulk of the northward of Scissons, but the German and west of Crecy Aumont. It was quiet support of the Man-Power Bill, warned line here is strongly held. The Germans, I elsewhere. since August Sth. have launched 55 "ANOTHER GOOD DAY"

EMNDON, Aug. 24.

were devastated by our machine guns at night, when they dropped 25 tons of independence of Serbia, Rumania, the ship was sunk by a torpedo. reduced to skeleton strength. The causing fires. An expedition in great of Russia from Gerisan domination, to re-open a thorough inquiry as to enemy resistance at Chuignes Ridge force attacked the important Marala- including the return of Russian territory whether it was a German submarine, was similarly very coetly.

Surrey, Essex and Welsh troops and yesterday.

Royal Fusiliers in to-day's fighting distinguished themselves. The progress to-day has been authoritatively summed up as "another

BRITISH ATTACKS VIGOROUS PRESSED. 650 1200

MANY POINTS CAPTURED.

LONDON, Aug. 24. Field-Marshal Sir Douglas Haig

During the day "we pressed attacks than a 30-mile front from Libons to

English, Scottish fand Australian troops attacked southward of the Somme.

Meanwhile, in the right centre of the hold out much longer in face of the battle-front, English and Welsh troops

fighting / wind We beat off a counter-attack south ward of Grandcourt.

At about 11 a.m. the English attacked on the left centre of the battle-front, along the railway northward of Grandcourt. They captured Achiet-Ie-Grand, Bihuccurt and the ridge overlooking

We continued the attacks during the Several thousand prisoners have been taken during the day and heavy casualties have been inflicted on the enemy. FURTHER PROGRESS IN

· ALBERT SECTER. LONDON, Aug. 24.

Field-Matshal Sir Douglas Haig back, in places, two kilometres. reports:

LONDON, Aug. 24.2 Reuter's Correspondent at British Headquarters, telegraphing to day,

Re-attacking this morning, we captured Bray, which is an important position, also Ovillors. We also surrounded

BRAY TAKEN.

The Australians, yesterday, made a fine advance along the old Somme desort, taking 2,000 prisoners from 10

> BRITISH APPROACHING BAPAUME.

The Germans are rushing up strong certain that a better chance will offer local reserves to oppose the British in 1919, for the German front is now approach to Bapanne. Strong opposition was encountered at Bahnoourt. As regards the latest developments of where the enemy held a big sugar

of which would be a disaster for the Illustrating the spirit of initia tive enemy. "His desperate resistance at among our troops, one Australian Div. mile on its own responsibility. Heavy showers in the small hours and General Smuts.

laid the dust and cooled the sir. The British are within two miles of

QUIET NIGHT ON FRENCH.

FRONT. LONDON, Aug. 24.

A French communiqué states: In the region of Lassiguy and between the Oise and Aisne, the night was marked by fairly lively artillery activity. Our detachments penetrated several points of the enemy's trenches in Lorraine and brought back prisoners.

"The night was quiet on the rest of the front. FRENCH CROSS THE DIVETTE

LONDON, Aug. 241 A French communique states :-Between the Matz and the Oise there were violent artillery actions.

We crossed the Divette during the

Divisions against the Allied battle line. yesterday owing to favourable weather. be dictated to, not negotiated with There were numerous reconnaissances far Germany in order to place her in a into the enemy's lines and our photo- position where she never again can graphers brought back thousands of disturb the world's peace. Reuter's Correspondent at British exposures. Our chasers brought down 14 Mr. Lodge specifically detailed the Headquarters, reperting yesterday, aeroplanes and set nine balloons on fire. peace terms which must be forced on Our bombers in the day-time drop. Germany, including the complete The heaviest fighting has been scound ped 18 tons of bombs and fired restoration of Belgium, unconditional Boiry Becquerelle, where the enemy thousands of cartridges on troops and return of Alsace Lorraine and Italia Shipping Council as regards the sinking counter-attacks in dense formations convoys. Their activity did not relax Irredents, the safety of Greece, the of the Koning an Regenter, namely that and rifles, whole battalions being bombs on stations at Laon, Ham, etc., Poland and the Slavs and the freedom The Dutck Government asks Germany Tour aerodrome. The first bombs wrested by the Brestlitovsk treaty It is certain that in yesterday's and caused a fire in the hangars and hute Furthermore, Constantinople must be cognise the immunity of hospital ships." to-day's fighting the Germans lost very and, aided by the light of the flames, made a free port. Palestine must never heavily. Our casualties were relatively the remaining aeroplanes bombed most be returned to Turkish rule and, most that no British, torpedo was fired in Tanks and "whippets" again wrought personnel. Numerous machines on the tions under Austria namely the Jugo-

> A SECOND VERDUN. LONDON, Aug. 24.

Reuter's Correspondent, at French Headquarters says:— Accounts of the capture of Beauvraignes by troops of General Humbert's

Army, amid a terrific bombardment. recall the descriptions of the Verdun A French Division nicknamed in La Gauloise," of Verdun James was given the honourable and dangerous task of

taking the place. When the moment came for the final advance, the men parched with thirst and tired with days of fighting and pitiless heat, leapt to the assault telling the officers they no longer felt the weight of their packs, so eager were they to get at the Boches.

LONDON, Aug. 24.

In the heavy fighting, notably between Albert and the Amiens-Roye road, 62 enemy machines were destroyed and 21 driven down out of control, during the week, against 26 British missing. Moreover, while the enemy's concentration was achieved by inactivity in aother sectors, the British mirmen have not abated their destructive raids on the

enemy's territory. Raids on London have ceased for the time being under the pressure of events on the battle-front, while the British nerial offensive in Germany grows daily in deadliness and power.

It can hardly be disguised that Germany is no longer able to protect adequately her immensely long air

GERMAN REPORT.

LONDON, Aug. 24. A wireless Gorman official message The British attack northward of the

Ancre, begun on August 21, continued. in full force and extende northward of Albert as far as the Albert Somme sector, but collapsed. We forestalled the enemy assault and

attacked the enemy, between Moyenneville and Miranmont and threw him We progressed in the Albert sector Beaumont Hamel and Albert.

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LONDON, Aug. 24. Mr. General Sir Godfrey Paine has. been appointed Inspector-General of the Royal Air, Force and an additional mem-

ber of the Air Council. Major General W. H. Brancker has been appointed Master-General pensonnel, and Major-General E. L. Ellington, Controller-General of equipment and a member of the Air Council.

IRECIND'S RESPONSIBILITIES. FORMATION OF AN IRISE BRIGADE

Colonel Lynch, who is at the head of Ja recruiting in Ireland, says that he aims points out that if the Germani are victorious, Ireland will have to bear a share of the crushing indemnities. He adds that the Allies are fighting such heroic figures as General Botha

ALLYES FOOD SUPPLIES.

AMERICA'S HELP.

NEW YORK, Aug. 24. Mr. Charles Hoover, the Food Controller, has made a statement that the United States will share the sacrifices, in food as well as in blood, with the

The United States would provide the. Allies, in 1919, with 4,000,000 pounds of fata, 900,000,000 pounds of boof products, 1,500,000,000 tons of sugar, and 500,000,000 bushels of cereals.

AMERICA'S VIEW OF A JUST PEACE.

PEACE BY DICTATION, NOT NEGOTIATION.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2413 Mr. Lodge, speaking before it against the insidious German peace There was much aeroplane work propaganda, declaring that peace must

effectively other hangars, huts and the important of all, the great Slav popula- the vicinity. 34 tons of explosives were employed established as independent States These, with Poland, would stand across the pathway of Germany

eastward. He added that nobody dreamt of annihilating the German people. are not engaged in this war toy to arrange a government for Germany. The German people must do that them-

THE CZECH WITHDRAWAL IN SIBERIA EXPLAINEDS (I)

AN IMPORTANT CENTRE CAPTURED BY CZECHO SLOVAKS

Beutar learns that the Czecho Signat of ECONOMIC NEGOTIATIONS. withdrawal on the Ussum front does not affect their communications und H THE AT ILLIBRATION not regarded as a serious check on " w Moreover, it is reported to-day that the Czechs have captured Verchiludinsk, an important centre commanding the British airmen had supther successful railway tunnels south of Lake Baikal.

> CHOLERA RAGING IN UKRAINE AMSTERDAM, Aug. 24. The Lieinischefaelische Zeitung reports that the cholera epidemic has spread to Ukraine, where there have been 253

RENEWAL OF ENEMY ACTIVITY

-LONDON, Aug. 24. A French Eastern communique states There is more active artillery firing loance, plus the cost of shipping from on the Serbian front. Enemy activity in Albania has revived The fixing of the new maximum

at various points. British seroplanes, despite had weather, bombed enemy depots in the Struma Valley.

ENEMY'2" HEAVY LOSSES IN ALBANIA.

LONDON, Aug. 24. An Italian official report states In Albania the enemy renewed his strong attacks from the Lower Semeni to the heights of Mali and Tomorica. He was repulsed and sanguinarily counter-attacked near Petovia. He slightly advanced north of the head of Bavalica and in the region of Coyon.

Point 1,150. The enemy's losses are

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London, Aug. 34. The Admiralty reports that German motor boats on the morning of August 23rd attempted a reconnaisance in the neighbourhood of Dunkerque.

They were driven off by British and French patrolling vessels assisted by the land defences. One motor boat is believed to have been destroyed. No damage or casual-

FAMINE AND TYPHUS IN PETROGRAD.

PUPULATION DYING OUT

Lies were caused to the Allied forces

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 24 message from Petrograd states that beside cholors and famines suphus is now, raging terribly in Petrograd and population of whole villages, who receive only two pounds of oats weekly and no

bread, are dying out. Practically all Moscow's railway communications are cut off, partly due New to the passive resistance of the railway men, but the counter-revolutionaries have blown up numerous bridges and pulled up rail tacks.

GERMAN EAST AFRICA. OPPORTUNITIES FOR INDIANS.

LONDON, Aug. 23. Sir Theodore Morison, K.C.I.E., an anthority on Indian matters, interviewed by Reuter, advocated the making of German East Africa an Indian Colony He dealt with the advantages German East Africa offers to hundreds thousands of small cultivators and also to the investment of capital.

He surgests that administration and public development work be wholly entrusted to Indians, and believes that the Indians are capable of thinking out and applying a policy for firm and sympathetic government of the German East African natives.

THE SINKING OF "KUNINGEN RECENTES

THE DUTCH FINDING.

THE HAGUE, Aug. 24. The Foreign Secretary has issued the finding of the inquiry by the Dutch

seeing that Germ ny does not re-Great Britain has assured Holland

ZAn Extraordinary Mission has been sent by the Japanese Red Cross to France to study the working of the French Medical Service, with a view to foringing to the French their valuable

assistance. It is composed of several doctors among whom, are, Prince : Yoshifisa Tokugawa and Professor Ninagawa. They visited the principal French femitary formations yesterday and the The Mission is leaving to-day for the

THE ENTENTE AND HOLLAND.

The Herning Post correspondent at Amsterdam states that the Dutch Government has proposed the resumption of economic negotiations with the

> The state I transfer than I the A for it is THE SILVER MARKET. THE RAISING OF THE

MUIMIXAM. LONDON, Aug. 21.

Silver stands at 49d. corresponding to the official fixing maximum. The market is steady. The Treasury has raised the maximum

price of silver to 491. The previous maximum cabled on Aug. 14 equalled the American price of the dollar per New York and their recommissances were repulsed attributed to the mising of the price New York cabled on Ang. 18. China exchanges are very firm, but i

is not belived this has been a determing

factor in raising the maximum,

The recent raising of silver in the United States from 100 cents to 101 cente is apparently mainly due to the guestion of transport charges between San Francisco and new York

LONDON, Aug. 25. The death has occurred of Mr. H. L. Moysey, ox Postmoster - General (Continued on Page 3.)

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VLADINOSTOCK, Aug. 18. A contingent of Japanese marines has been disembarked at Nikolajevsk on the Amur, for the protection of their nationals.

There has been a fierce fight on the Useuri front between the Czechs and the Bolsheviks which resulted Sir Charles Elliot, who ably repred in the retirement of the Czech outsented Creat Britain in the negotia-

tions between Great Britain, United. In view of the urgent need, a States and Germany regarding demand is made that the Chnadians Samoa, has been appointed High be despatched to Siberia immedi-

SITUATION IN SIBERIA.

STRENGTH OF THE ENEMY

A Japanese official message states:

A small detachment of the enemy

attempted to assault General Kal-

mikoff's troops but was successfully

According to the inhabitants the

enemy east of the railway at Uspren,

east of Simacov, which is in the

direction of our right, wing, has, in-

The enemy is arming crafts on the

. The inhabitants of North Mane

chimia, not only the Japanese but

also other nationals, are welcom?

ing the expected arrival of our

while the Chinese are also friendly

The strength of the enemy in the

Annur localities is about 17,000, dis-

On the Useuri front, 5,000, includ-

ing 3,000 Austro-Germans, possess-

ing an aeroplane, armed curs, two

At Dauria and on the Chinese

At Chita, 3,000, including 2,000

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The number of men available for

THE EXPEDITION TO

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which included the Consula local

Russian military authorities, the

Manager of the Chinese Eastern

Railway and representatives of the

Jupanese colony, The Train con-

tinue their journey to Manchuli this

troops and one of Czecho-Slovak

tained two squadrons of the 7th

frontier 6,000, including 2,000 Aus-

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tributed as follows:-

4,500 Austro-Germans.

Ussuri river with machine-guns.

repulsed.

Torio, Aug. 16.

Commissioner and Plenipotentiary ately, to "Russia, and will proceed to Vladivostock from Peking shortly IRREDENTISTS FOR SIBERIA. while Mr. Matsudaim, formerly Secretary to the Japanese Embassy ITALIAN ARMS. in London and afterwards the popu-

lar Secretary of the Japanese Lega-PERING, Aug. 17. tion in Peking and who is now Eight hundred Irredentists are Chancellor of Embassy designate to being sent to Vladivistock from Washington, has been appointed Tientsin to join the Allied Expedi-Jupanese Diplomatic Representative tion in Siberia. They will be conwith the Japanese expedition to veyed from Chinwangtao on board a ship which is expected to arrive It is understood that General about the end of the month with Nagasaki Karatsu, Wakamatsu, Maji.

thani will take command of the arms and ammunition from Italy. Military forces of the Allies at Nladivostock, while Admiral Knight will retain the command of the Naval Forces of the Allies, which will be considerably more important, in

Siberla.

THE SITUATION IN

CHINESE DEFENCE MEASURES.

FIRST CONTINGENT FOR VLADIVOSTOCK.

PEKING, Aug. 16, Puc Kuei-ching, the Military creased, in strength to 8,000 men. Governor of Heilungkiang, has is to"consult the Government regarding defence measures along

frontier. The first contingent, of Chinese troops for Vludivostock will leave troops. The intelligent class of the Peking on the 18th. Further troops Russian population is highly pleased will follow daily. at the coming of the Japanese troops

THE SITUATION AT YLADIYO-

A THREATENED GENERAL STRIKE.

Vládivostock, Aug. 17. The threatened general strike resolved itself to-day into a partial strike of printers, dock-men and easual labourers, who issued a declaration demanding the release of the imprisoned Soviet delegate, the pected. expulsion of General Horvath from. At Blacoveschensk, which is conthe town; the trial by court-martial sidered the Headquarters for the of a British sentry for shooting a workman at the Arsenal recently; no change. The number of troops denouncing the Czecho-Slovaks for there is believed to total 1,000. abolishing the Soviets and the Allies In the Zabaikal localities the total for establishing a military dictator- in 18,000, distributed as follows:

The Trade, Commercial and Professional Unions passed resolutions stating that they took no part in the

At Yerkne-Udinsk 9,000, including The publication of the newspapers as been stopped for the time being. 9,000 Austro-Germans, Pro 10 1. 4000

THE SOVIETS' ATTITUDE.

MENACE TO ALLIES' REAR.

Tokio, Aug. 17. A Japanese official message states: Krasnoschokoff, the head of the Fur Eastern Soviets, is expected. to call a meeting of the members of the Far Eastern Committee ut Blugovechensk in order to decide their attitude towards the Allied appreciation for the assistance Japan has given to the Czech Army.

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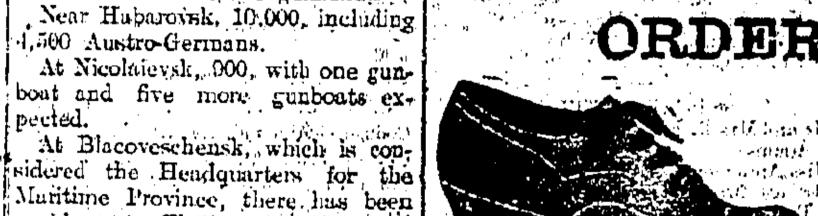
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5.13 p.m. At King's Park Range. Annual Musketry Course, Part 2, Practices "8 and 9." Dress, drill order with pouches. 5.15 p.m. No. 4 Platoon (N.C.Qs. and me as detailed by Platoon Commander) at Kennedy Road Range. T.E.T. (Grouping). Dress, drill order without

THURSDAY, 29th instant :-5.15. p.m. No. 2 Platoon at King's Park Range. Annual Blusketry Course. Part 2, Practices 10' and 11. Dress, drill ender with pouches. PRIDAY, 30th instant :--

5.15 p.m. No. 1 Plateon at, King's Park Bange. Annual Musketry Course. Part 2, Practices 10 and 11. Dress, drill order with pobches. 5.30 p.m. No. 2 Phatoon will parade as ordered by Platoon Commander.

" B " Company. TUESDAY, 27th instant :-5.15 p.m. No. 5 Platoon at Cricket Club. E.T. Dress, drill order with pouches. All exempted men are to attend this Perode SLI TO SPECOS AL THEORY ters. T.E.T. Dress, drill order with souches. All exempted men are to attend this parade.

6.30 p.m. No. 7 Platoon on Polo Ground, Hongkong residents will parade at Cricket Chub at 0.10 p.m. and proceed by Tram to Causeway Bay. T.E.T. Dress, drill order with pouches and 15 rounds duminible All exempted menare to attend this parade.

THURSDAY, 29th instant: 5.20 p.m. No. 8 Platoon at Kewloon Docks T.E.T. MOUNTED SECTION.

THURSDAY, 29th inst 5.30 p.m. Jeckey Club. Stables Dress, drill order without liftes. SIGNALLISE SECTION! THURSDAY, 27th instant .-5.15 p.m. Farade at Handquarters, T.E.T. Dress, drill order (Rifle, belt,

sidearms and pouches). There will be a voluntary lamp reading class at 7 p.m. every Friday dhtil further motices : multi may be wern. gh, monochescivies, at Company and

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HONGKONG MARKET

Butcher Meat. Beef Birloin, -- Mei Lung Pa ... Ib. Prime Out Corned, -Ham Ngan Yuk. Rosst Shin --- " Broast, Ngen Nam Boup,-Tong Yuk Steak,-Ngau Yuk Pa ... " Steak Sizloin,-Ngan Lan ... Sansages, -- Ngau Cheung

Bullock's Brains, Ngan No per set 10 Tongue, tresh,-Ngan Li each 50 Tongue, corned .- Ham Ngan Li

Head,-Ngan Tau... each 100 Heart,-Ngar Sam... Pb. 13 Hamp, Salt-Ngan Kin . 20 Foot, -- Ngau Kouk ... coch Kidneys,-Ngau Yiu ., Tail.—Ngan Mel ... ,, Edrer, -- Ngan Kon. .. 15. 12 Tripe (undressed), Ngau To lb. Calves' Head and Feet,-Kgan-tsai-. tau-keuk set \$1.00

Mutton Chop.—Young Pai Kwat 15, 26 Log - Young Poi , 26 Shoulder - Young Shau ... Saddle,-Young On Yuk ,, Pig's Chitlings, Chu Chong par, seb 25 Brains,—Chu No per set 22 Feet,—Chu Kenk 15 " Fry, Chu Chap" ... 15 Head,-Chu Tau " Heart, -- Chu Sam ... "... each 10 Kidneys,-Chu Yiu... each 10 Liver,—Chu Kou ... lb. 30 Pork Chop,-Chu Pai Kwat ... " Lez-Chu Pai. .. Loin,-Ohu Hao Tun .. Fat or Lard, -Chu Yan ... ,,

Sheep's Head and Fest, -Yeang Tan Kauk... ... set 60 Heart.—Young Sam ... each Kidneys, Yeung Yiu each 12 Liver,-Yeung Kon ... lb. 26 Sucking Pigs, to order, Chu Tsai .. 25 Suct. Beef,-Shang Ngan Yan ... ,; , Mutton, Shang Yaung You ., 26 Veal,-Ngan Tsal Yuk... ... , 20 Sausages,-Ngan Tsai Chenng No. 1 ... lb. 20

Barbel, -- Ka Yo... ... Bream,-Pin Yu... ... "... ... " Canton Fresh Water Fish .--Hoi Sin Yn " 18 Carp.—Li Yu ... Cathah. - Chik Yu Codfish, -- Mun Yu Orabe,-Hainen Cuttle Fish ... Muk Yu , 16 Dab, -Sha Mang Yu " Dace, - Wong: Mei Lap Dog Fish, Tit To Sha Eels, Conger,—Hoi Man 16 Fresh waters Tam Shui Yu .. ,, Yellow, Wong Sin ,, Frogs,-Tin'Kai... 27 Garoupa,-Shek Pan... Gudgeon,-Pak Kap Yu 18

Herrings .- Tso Pak Halibut,-Cheung Kwan Kapen ,, 18 Labrus,-Wong Fa Yu Losch,-Wu Yu , 22 Lobsters,--Lung Hs 32 Mackerel, -Chi Yu Monk Fish, -- Mong Yu 33 Mullet, Tsai Yu... 18 Oysters, Shang Ho *** Parrot Fish - Kai Kung Yu ... , 14 Pike,-Fa Pau Fongia in to n 16 Plaice, -Pan Yu.... Pomiret, Black,-Hak Chong ... ,, Pomfret, White, Pak Chong Prawns,--Ming Ha Ray, Pal, Pa Sha foot "oost spr 5 10.

Rock Fish,-Shek Kau Kung ... " Roach Chun Yn | 1000 | 200 | 000 | 100 | Salmon,-Ma Xu., 19 Shark, Sha Yu in Skate Po Yu Shrimps,--Ha Snapper,-Lap Yu *** *** Soles,- Tat Sha Yu Tench -- Wan Yn Turbot. - Tso Hau XB.: Turties, small, fresh water,-Kenk Y. . 40

Chicken Kai Tasi Levi merican . Ib. 30 Capone, mall, Sin Kai 1, 28 Lapons, Large, Sin Kal , 28 Duck,-Ap 22 Pow.s. Canton .- Ksies ser ... 15, 38 Fowls, Hainan,-Hoi Nam Kai .. 28 Green Ngo, it men men con street Psgeons, Centon, Pak Kap. Hothow, Hot Hau Pak Kap Tarkeys, Cock,-Fo Kai Kung Ib. 80 Turkeys, Hen, -Fo Rai Ra ... , 52 Suipe,—Sha Tani... each 23 Phencont, Chan Kai ... Quall, Om Chun Partidges, Che Ku

Almonds, Hang Yan Apples, (California), - Kam Shan Benenna, (bride's), Maceo, San Houng Thin

Caramboli Totog To

Cotoniula - Yo Tao

Lemons, China, Ling Mung... lb. Lemons, America Kam Shau Ling Mung ... 8 each Lichees, Dried, (small stone),-Lai Chi Kon lk 25 Oranges, (Canton), (Sweet)-

Oranges, (Canton), Pears, (Canton), Cooking, -Sha Ll .. 13 Peanuts,-Fa Shang 19 Grapes --- Po Tai Tax

Vegetables, &c.

Beans, Sprous,-Ngs Tsoi... Long,-Tau Kok ... Beet Root,-Hung Taos Tau ... , Bitter Soussh,-Fu Kws Brinjals, Green, -Ching Yorkwa, Cabbage Chinese, (common),-Kai Tsol ...

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Ginger, young, -Sun Tau Kenng ... Mandarin,—Kwai

Onions, Shanghal, Shoung-hel

Rhubarb (Fresh),—Tai Wong ... ,, Shallots, - Kong Chong Tau Spinach,-Yin Tsoi Tomatoes,-Fan Ke

,, Lily root,-Lin Ngan ... , Yams,-Tai Shu ... 6

ROYAL OBSERVATORY HORGEORG, DAILY WHATHER REPORT.

AUGUST 26, 1918.—a.m.

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Artichokes,—Ah Chi Chauk ...esch — Red,-Hung Ke 5

Cane Shoots, bunch, -Kau Shun , -Cauliflower (Large), -Ye Toni Fa'each -

Chillie Dried,-Kon Lat Chiu .. 25 Red,-Hung Fa Chiu ... , 10 Green,-Ching Lat Chiu . 8 Curry Stuff, English, -Ka Li Chu Liu.

Oucumbers,—Ching Kwa sach 2 Garlic,-Sun Tan lb. 8 Ginger, old,-Lo Koung , 10 Horseradish, Shangbai,-Lik Kan ., 45 Indian Corn,-Shuk Maisach 06 Lettuce. Young Shang Tsoi ...oach. 1 Water Chestnuts,-Ma Tai ... lb. 6.

Lam Ma Tai 10 Mushrooms, Fresh,—Shang Tso Ku lb. Onions, Bombay,-Young Chung Tau lb. 8 Onions, Green,-Shang Chung lb. 4

Čhung Tau ., 6 Paraley,-Kun Tsoi ... , 60 Potato, Sweet,-Fan Shu , 3 ... Japanese, -Yat Pun Shu Tsai Ib. " American,-Fa Kai Shu Tsai lb. 8 Pumpkin,—Tung Kwa ... ib. 3 Radish,-Hung Lo Pak Tsai ... , 6

Taros, -Wu Tan ... Turnipa, Funti, (Long),—Lo Pak .. 4 Vetable Marrow, Trit Kwa... , 4 Water Cress,-Sai Yeung Tsoi... 15

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SHARE MARKET.

SINGAPORE, August 15th. Alor Gajan (\$1) Amal. Malay ly. pd. ... Ayer Kuning (\$1)... Ayer Molek (81) Ayer Panas (35) Balgownie (\$1) Bassett (81) Batang Benar (810) ... 11.00 12.00 Batu Lintang (810) 1.00 1.50pm Bukit Jelotong (\$1) ... Bukit Kepong (2)... Bukit K. B. (\$1) ... " Bukit Timeh (\$10) Changray Stang (\$3) ...

(1.40 1.75) Harton (2) Indragiri (85) Jimah (\$1) Kamasan (82) ... 4.10 4.50 Kelemak R. (85) ... Kempas (82) ... Malaka Pinda Malakoff (83) . 12 Gillo 24,051.12 14.1971 Mandai-Tekong (\$1) ... [10.55] Mergui (85) ... 5.60 6.25 New Serendah (\$2)5 370 M2.50 Circars 2 Nyalas (85) ... 6.00 00 6 50 Pajam (\$6) ... Pantai (31) 100 979 W. I had no hate. 1 Parit Perak (31) 2.00 2.20

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